

tutorial presentation

Using **KPP** generated chemistry solvers in WRF-Chem

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overview

- introduction to **KPP**
- WRF-Chem/**KPP** coupler
 - “guided tour”
 - for cookbook style recipes see documentation

www.mpch-mainz.mpg.de/~salzmann/my_home/sub/wkc.html

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KPP

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

KPP may refer to:

- The [Communist Party of Poland](#)
- Kernel Patch Protection, a security feature of [Microsoft Windows](#)



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KPP

- **KPP: Kinetic PreProcessor**
 - reads ASCII input and generates code for chemistry integration
- **e.g.:**
 - Damian et al., 2002
 - Sandu et al., 2003
 - Sandu and Sander, 2006
- <http://people.cs.vt.edu/~asandu/Software/Kpp/>

KPP example



*Small “stratospheric” mechanism,
example from Sandu, 2003; Sandu and Sander, 2006*

KPP example

File #1: *species (.spc file)*

```
#INCLUDE atoms
#DEFVAR
    O      = O;
    O1D   = O;
    O3    = O + O + O;
    NO    = N + O;
    NO2   = N + O + O;

#DEFFIX
    M      = ignore;
    O2    = O + O;
```

KPP example

File #2: *equation (.eqn file)*

```
#EQUATIONS { Stratospheric Mechanism }
<R1> O2 + hv = 2O : 2.6e-10*SUN;
<R2> O + O2 = O3 : 8.0e-17;
<R3> O3 + hv = O + O2 : 6.1e-04*SUN;
<R4> O + O3 = 2O2 : 1.5e-15;
<R5> O3 + hv = O1D + O2 : 1.0e-03*SUN;
<R6> O1D + M = O + M : 7.1e-11;
<R7> O1D + O3 = 2O2 : 1.2e-10;
<R8> NO + O3 = NO2 + O2 : 6.0e-15;
<R9> NO2 + O = NO + O2 : 1.0e-11;
<R10> NO2 + hv = NO + O : 1.2e-02*SUN;
```

KPP example

File #3: *.kpp file*

```
#MODEL           small_strato
#LANGUAGE        Fortran90
#DOUBLE          ON
#INTEGRATOR     rosenbrock
#DRIVER          general
#JACOBIAN       SPARSE_LU_ROW
#HESSIAN         ON
#STOICMAT       ON
```

KPP example

File #4: *.def file (optional)*

```
#include atoms_red
#include ./racm_mim.spc
#include ./racm_mim.eqn

#INLINE F90_RATES
REAL(KIND=dp) FUNCTION k46( TEMP, C_M )
    REAL(KIND=dp), INTENT(IN) :: temp, c_m
    REAL(KIND=dp) :: k0, k2, k3

    k0=7.2E-15_dp * EXP(785._dp/TEMP)
    k2=4.1E-16_dp * EXP(1440._dp/TEMP)
    k3=1.9E-33_dp * EXP(725._dp/TEMP)

    k46=k0+k3/(1+k3/k2)

END FUNCTION k46
#ENDINLINE
```



in addition: User defined functions in \$KPP_HOME/util/UserRateLaws.f90
OR: \$KPP_HOME/util/**WRF_Conform**/UserRateLaws.f90

KPP example

- Output from KPP: “box model” with a driver
 - in Fortran 90
 - alternatively: Matlab

For details: e.g. Sandu and Sander, 2006

KPP

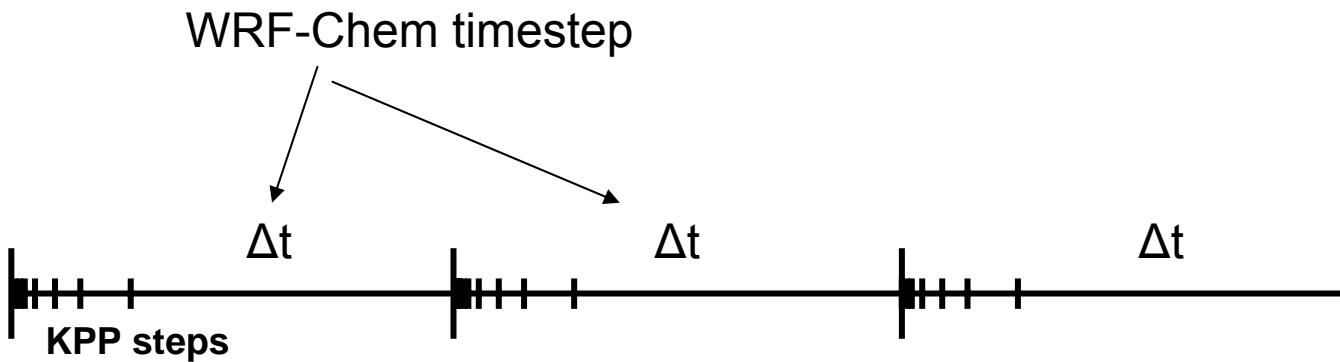
- **widely used**
 - box model studies
 - chemistry integration in 3-D models (for example in GEOS-Chem, E5/M1, WRF-Chem)
 - adjoints in 3-D models (for example Sandu et al., 2005, Henze et al., 2007)
- **freely available**
- **distributed together with a few examples**

KPP benchmarks

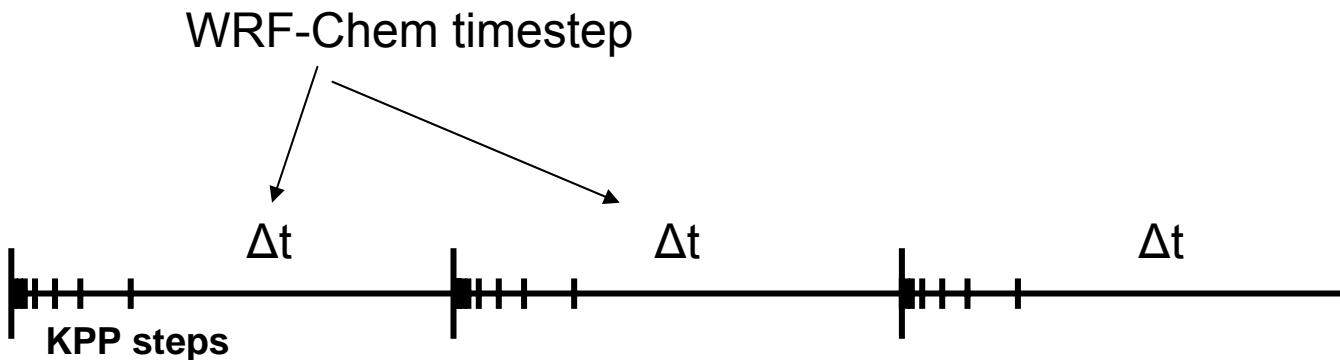
Integrator	stratospheric mechanism	MECCA
	CPU time [s]	CPU time [s]
rodas3	0.42	38.71
kpp_lsode	0.32	39.79
ros3	0.38	41.33
rodas4	0.46	49.92
ros4	0.43	51.09
kpp_seulex	0.50	55.31
kpp_sdirk	0.86	63.24
ros2	0.39	69.43
kpp_radau5	0.49	103.33
ros2_manual	0.08	—

from: Sandu and Sander, 2006

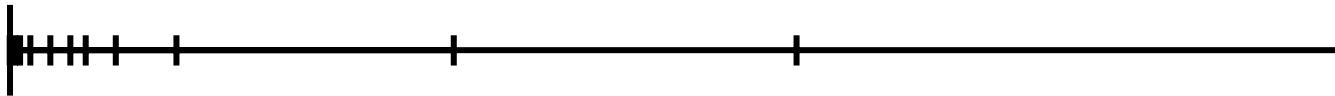
ros3



ros3



$$\Delta t_{\text{larger}} = 3\Delta t$$



WRF-Chem/KPP** coupler**

WRF-Chem/KPP coupler (WKC)

- writes .f90 interfaces between WRF-Chem and KPP generated code
- “non-destructive layout”, i.e. minimum modifications to WRF-Chem, almost everything in one directory
- script to automatically compile/run KPP during WRF compile time

WRF-Chem/KPP** coupler (WKC)**

- **a few modifications to KPP (switch)**
 - not all features available
 - currently only Rosenbrock type solvers
- **written in C and in parts based on the Registry mechanism**

WRF-Chem Registry

Registry/registry.chem (included in Registry.EM_CHEM)

Excerpt: chemistry array

```
# Chem Scalars
state real - ikjftb chem 1 - - -
state real so2 ikjftb chem 1 - irhusdf=(bdy_interp:dt) "so2" "SO2" "ppmv"
state real sulf ikjftb chem 1 - irhusdf=(bdy_interp:dt) "sulf" "SULF" "ppmv"
state real no2 ikjftb chem 1 - irhusdf=(bdy_interp:dt) "no2" "NO2" "ppmv"
state real no ikjftb chem 1 - irhusdf=(bdy_interp:dt) "no" "NO" "ppmv"
state real o3 ikjftb chem 1 - irhusdf=(bdy_interp:dt) "o3" "O3" "ppmv"
state real hno3 ikjftb chem 1 - irhusdf=(bdy_interp:dt) "hno3" "HNO3" "ppmv"
state real h2o2 ikjftb chem 1 - irhusdf=(bdy_interp:dt) "h2o2" "H2O2" "ppmv"
...
```

+ arrays for radicals

+ arrays for photolysis rates

WRF-Chem Registry

+ package
declaration
for each
mechanism

```
# CHEMISTRY PACKAGE DEFINITIONS
#
package prescribe_aerosol chem_opt==0 -
package radm2 chem_opt==1 - chem:so2,sulf,
no2,no,o3,hno3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,ora1,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,e
th,co,ol2,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,ho,ho
2
package radm2sorg chem_opt==2 - chem:so2,sulf,
no2,no,o3,hno3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,ora1,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,e
th,co,ol2,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,ho,ho
2,so4aj,so4ai,nh4aj,nh4ai,no3aj,no3ai,orgaro1j,orgaro1i,orgaro2j,orgaro2i,orgalk1
j,orgalk1i,orgole1j,orgole1i,orgba1j,orgba1i,orgba2j,orgba2i,orgba3j,orgba3i,orgb
a4j,orgba4i,orgmaj,orgpai,ecj,eci,p25j,p25i,antha,seas,soila,nu0,ac0,corn
package racm chem_opt==3 - chem:so2,sulf,
no2,no,o3,hno3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,ora1,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,e
th,co,ete,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,co2,c
h4,udd,hket,api,lim,dien,macr,ho,ho2
package racmsorg chem_opt==4 - chem:so2,sulf,
no2,no,o3,hno3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,ora1,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,e
th,co,ete,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,co2,c
h4,udd,hket,api,lim,dien,macr,ho,ho2,so4aj,so4ai,nh4aj,nh4ai,no3aj,no3ai,orgaro1j
,orgaro1i,orgaro2j,orgaro2i,orgalk1j,orgalk1i,orgole1j,orgole1i,orgba1j,orgba1i,orgb
a2j,orgba2i,orgba3j,orgba3i,orgba4j,orgba4i,orgpaj,orgpai,ecj,eci,p25j,p25i,an
tha,seas,soila,nu0,ac0,corn
package cbmz chem_opt==5 - chem:so2,sulf,
no2,no,o3,hno3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,ora1,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,e
th,co,ol2,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,ho,ho
2,hcl,ch3o2,ethp,ch3oh,c2h5oh,par,to2,cro,open,op3,c2o3,ro2,ano2,nap,xo2,xpar,iso
prd,isopp,isopn,isopo2,dms,msa,dmso,dmso2,ch3so2h,ch3sch2oo,ch3so2,ch3so3,ch3so2o
o,ch3so2ch2oo,mtf
...
...
```

WRF-Chem Registry

+ package
declaration
for KPP
mechanisms

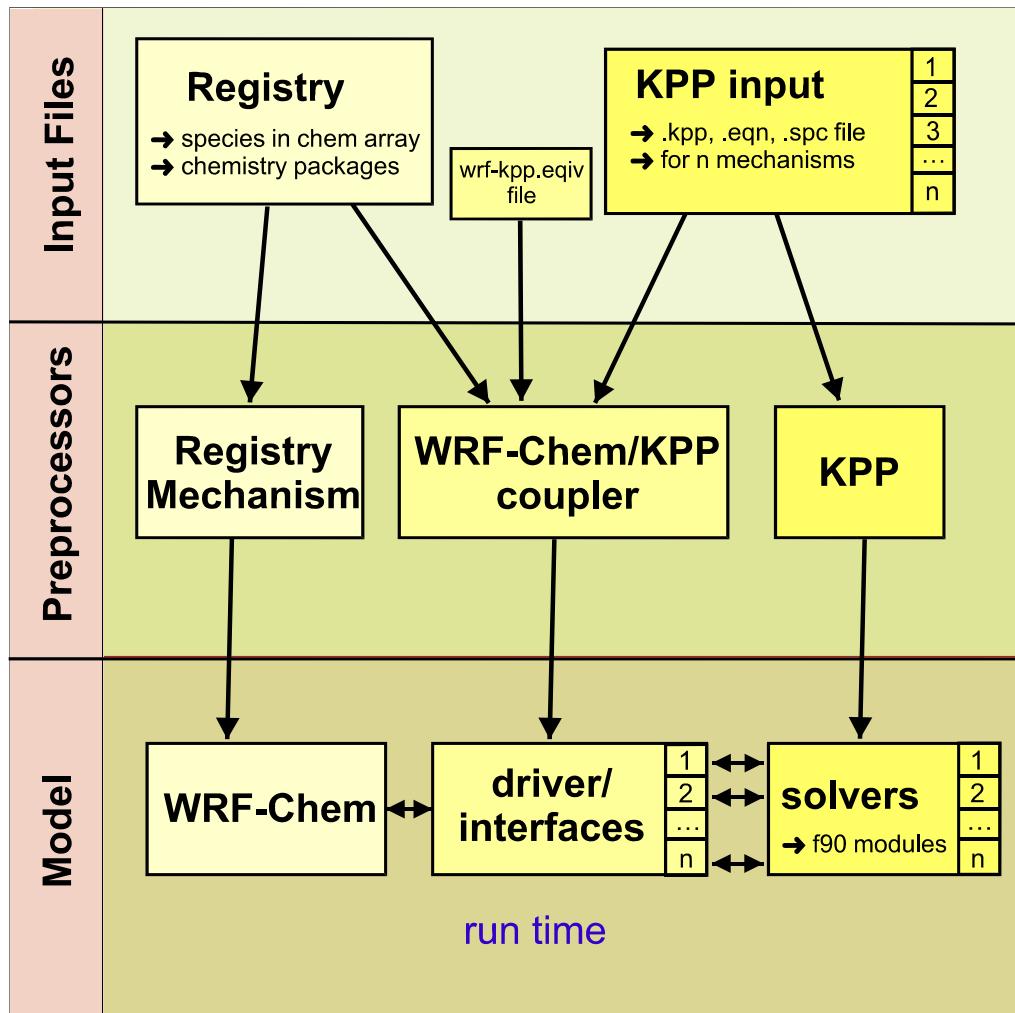
```
...
#cms++
package radm2_kpp      chem_opt==101          -
chem:so2,sulf,no2,no,o3,nho3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,oral,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,eth,co,o12,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,co2,ch4,ho,ho2

package racm_mim_kpp   chem_opt==102          -
chem:so2,sulf,no2,no,o3,nho3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,oral,ora2,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,eth,co,ete,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,co2,ch4,udd,hket,api,lim,dien,macr,hace,ishp,ison,mahp,mpan,nald,ho,ho2

package racm_kpp       chem_opt==103          -
chem:so2,sulf,no2,no,o3,nho3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,oral,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,eth,co,ete,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,co2,ch4,udd,hket,api,lim,dien,macr,ho,ho2

package racmsorg_kpp   chem_opt==104          -
chem:so2,sulf,no2,no,o3,nho3,h2o2,ald,hcho,op1,op2,paa,oral,ora2,nh3,n2o5,no3,pan,hc3,hc5,hc8,eth,co,ete,olt,oli,tol,xyl,aco3,tpan,hono,hno4,ket,gly,mgly,dcb,onit,csl,iso,co2,ch4,udd,hket,api,lim,dien,macr,ho,ho2,so4aj,so4ai,nh4aj,nh4ai,no3aj,no3ai,orgarolj,orgaroli,orgaro2j,orgaro2i,orgalklj,orgalkli,orgolelj,orgoleli,orgbalj,orgbalj,orgba2j,orgba2i,orgba3j,orgba3i,orgba4j,orgba4i,orgpaj,orgpai,ecj,eci,p25j,p25i,antha,seas,soila,nu0,ac0,corn
#cms--
```

WRF-Chem/KPP



wrf-kpp.equiv file

```
! use this file for species that have different
! names in WRF and KPP
!
! currently case sensitive !
!
! left column      right column
! name in WRF      name in KPP
CH3OOH            MeOOH
ho                OH
```

KPP

- **Advantages**

- significantly less time consuming than manual coding
- less error prone
- numerically efficient
- results in greater flexibility
 - updating mechanisms by additional equations
 - sensitivity studies

Example: modified KPP file

```
#MODEL racm_mim
#LANGUAGE Fortran90
#DOUBLE ON
#INTEGRATOR WRF_conform/rosenbrock
#DRIVER general
#JACOBIAN SPARSE_LU_ROW
#HESSIAN OFF
#STOICMAT OFF
#WRFCONFORM
```

Example: modified KPP equation file

```
#EQUATIONS {racm-mim}
{001:J01} NO2+hv=O3P+NO   : j(Pj_no2) ;
{002:J02} O3+hv=O1D{+O2}   : j(Pj_o31d) ;
{003:J03} O3+hv=O3P{+O2}   : j(Pj_o33p) ;
{004:J04} HONO+hv=HO+NO   : j(Pj_hno2) ;
{005:J05} HNO3+hv=HO+NO2   : j(Pj_hno3) ;
{006:J06} HNO4+hv=0.65 HO2+0.65 NO2+0.35 HO+0.35 NO3 : j(Pj_hno4) ;
{007:J07} NO3+hv=NO{+O2}   : j(Pj_no3o2) ;
{008:J08} NO3+hv=NO2+O3P   : j(Pj_no3o) ;
{009:J09} H2O2+hv=HO+HO   : j(Pj_h2o2) ;
...
{236:213} XO2+NO=NO2      : 4.00e-12 ;
{237:214} XO2+NO3=NO2     : 1.20e-12 ;
{238:215} ISOP+ISOP=2. MACR+HCHO+HO2   : 2.00e-12 ;
{239:216} ISHP+HO=MACR+HO : 1.00e-10 ;
{240:217} ISON+HO=HACE+NALD : 1.30e-11 ;
{241:218} MACP+NO=NO2+0.25 HACE+0.25 CO+0.25 ACO3+0.5 MGLY+0.75 HCHO+0.75 HO2:
    ARR2( 2.54e-12, -360.0, TEMP ) ;
{242:219} MACP+HO2=MAHP : ARR2( 1.82e-13 , -1300.0, TEMP ) ;
{243:220} MACP+MACP=HACE+MGLY+0.5 HCHO+0.5 CO+HO2 : 2.00e-12 ;
{244:221} MACP+NO2=MPAN : TROE( 9.70e-29 , 5.6 , 9.30e-12 , 1.5 , TEMP, C_M) ;
{245:222} MPAN=MACP+NO2 : TROEE(1.11e28,14000.0,9.70e-29,5.6,9.30e-12,1.5,TEMP,C_M) ;
```

pre-defined variables in WRF-Chem/KPP coupler:

	KPP .eqn file	unit in .eqn file	Registry
Photolysis rate (e.g.)	j(Pj_no2)	s ⁻¹	ph_no2
temperature	TEMP	K	t_phy
third body conc.	C_M	(molec moist air)/cm ³	calculated from rho
water vapor conc.	C_H2O	molec/cm ³	calc. from QVAPOR

(from WKC Users' and Developers' Guide)



chem/**KPP** directory

chem/KPP directory

```
> cd chem/KPP
```

```
> ls
```

clean_kpp

compile_wkc

configure_kpp

documentation

inc

kpp

mechanisms

module_wkppc_constants.F

util

mechanisms directory

```
> cd mechanisms  
> ls
```

racm
racm_mim
racmsorg
radm2

HERE you can add your own mechanism

racm_mim directory

```
> cd racm_mim  
> ls
```

```
racm_mim.def  
racm_mim.eqn  
racm_mim.kpp  
racm_mim.spc  
racm_mim_wrfkpp.equiv
```

chem/KPP directory

```
> cd ../..
> ls

clean_kpp
compile_wkc
configure_kpp
documentation
inc
kpp
mechanisms
module_wkppc_constants.F
util
```

kpp/kpp-2.1 directory

```
> cd kpp/kpp-2.1
```

```
> ls
```

...

compile_kpp

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...

kpp/kpp-2.1 directory

```
> cd kpp/kpp-2.1  
> ls
```

...

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WRF_conform/

rosenbrock.f90

chem/KPP directory

```
> cd ../..
> ls

clean_kpp
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util
```

util

util directory

```
> cd util  
> ls
```

Makefile

wkc

write_decomp (NEW!)

util directory

```
> cd util  
> ls
```

Makefile

wkc

write_decomp (NEW!)

gen_kpp.c:

- use info from Registry and from KPP input files
- write interface

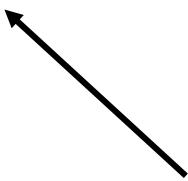
util directory

```
> cd util  
> ls
```

Makefile

wkc

write_decomp



direct addressing in KPP LU
decomposition (similar to a code from
Edwin Spee, CWI, Amsterdam)

running



WKC

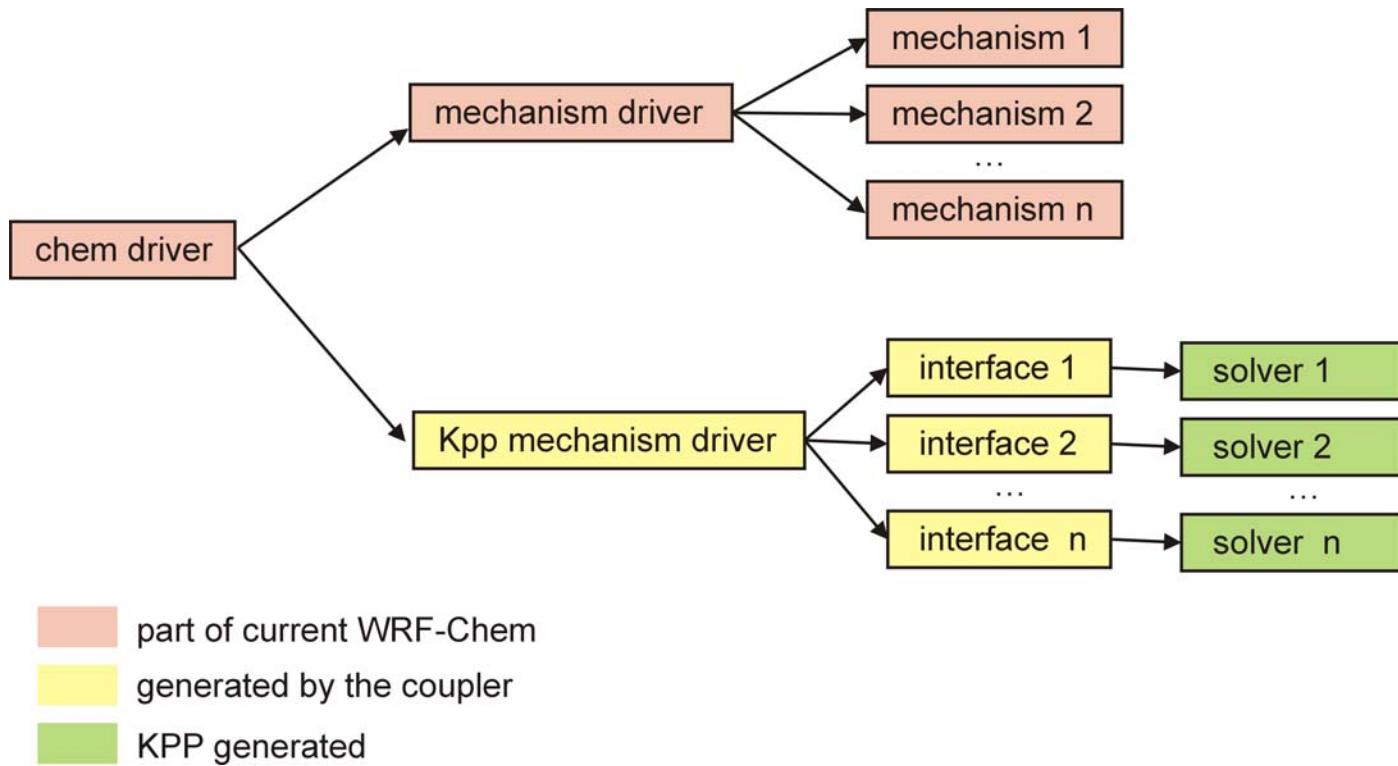
running the WRF-Chem/KPP coupler

- excerpt from WRF compile script:

```
if ( ! $?WRF_KPP )      setenv WRF_KPP 0
if ( $WRF_KPP == 1 ) then
chem/KPP/compile_wkc
endif
```

=> set environment variable: **setenv WRF_KPP 1**

call tree for the generated code

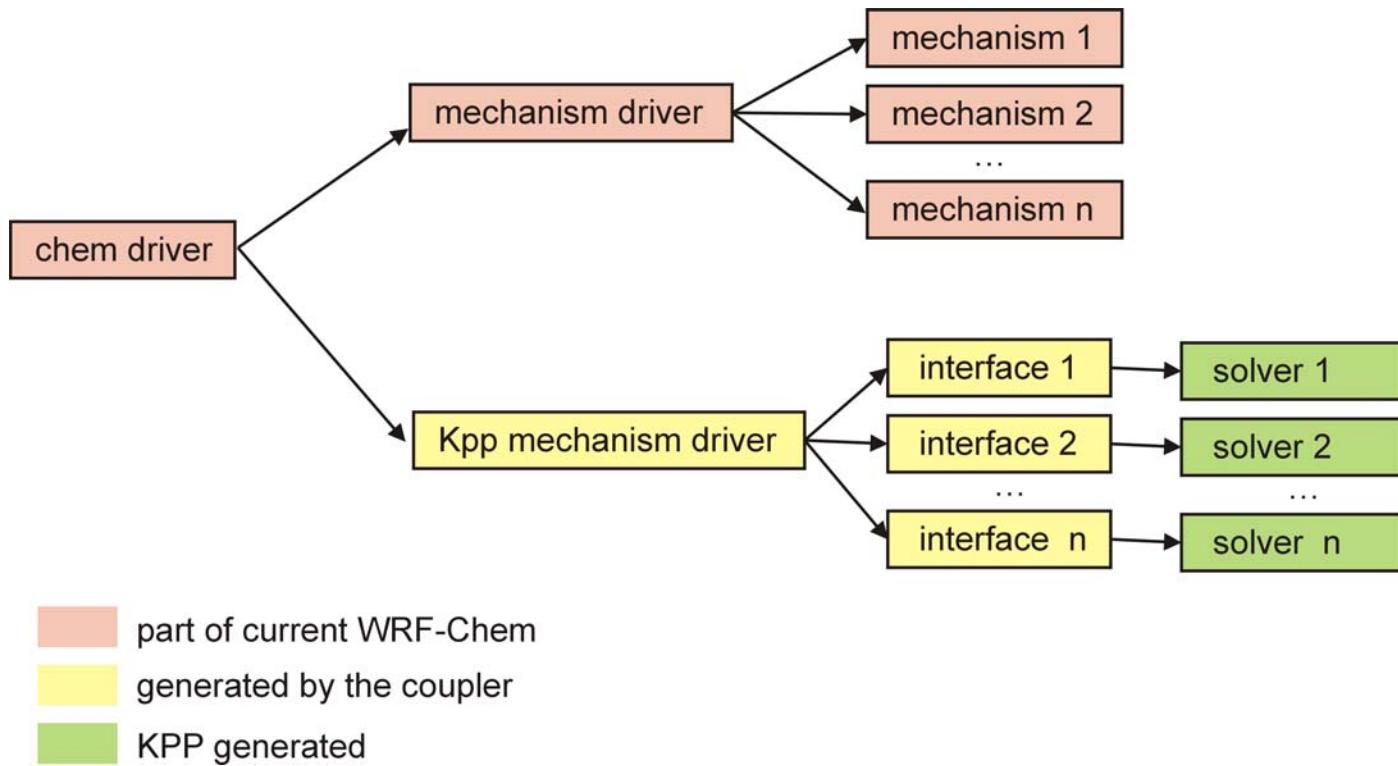


call from chem_driver.F

```
#ifdef WRF_KPP
    #ifdef WRF_KPP
        CALL wrf_debug(15,'calling kpp_mechanism_driver')

    (
        CALL kpp_mechanism_driver (chem,
            grid%id,dtstepc,config_flags,
            p_phy,t_phy,rho,moist,
            vdrog3, ldrog,
        !
        !#include <call_to_kpp_mech_drive.inc>
        !
            ids,ide, jds,jde, kds,kde,
            ims,ime, jms,jme, kms,kme,
            its,ite,jts,jte,kts,kte)
    !
#endif
```

call tree for the generated code



output in chem directory

after compile!

```
> cd chem; ls *kpp_racm_mim*
```

module_kpp_racm_mim_Integr.F *solver*
module_kpp_racm_mim_Jacobian.F
module_kpp_racm_mim_JacobianSP.F
module_kpp_racm_mim_Parameters.F
module_kpp_racm_mim_Precision.F
module_kpp_racm_mim_Update_Rconst.F
module_kpp_racm_mim_interface.F *interface*

in addition:

- modified **Makefile**
- link to **module_wkppc_constants.F**
- **kpp_mechanism_driver.F**

customization

customization

```
#ifdef WRF_KPP
    CALL wrf_debug(15,'calling kpp_mechanism_driver')

    CALL kpp_mechanism_driver (chem,
        grid%id,dtstepc,config_flags,
        p_phy,t_phy,rho,moist,
        vdrog3, ldrog,
    !
    #include <call_to_kpp_mech_drive.inc>
    !
        ids,ide, jds,jde, kds,kde,
        ims,ime, jms,jme, kms,kme,
        its,ite,jts,jte,kts,kte)

#endif
```

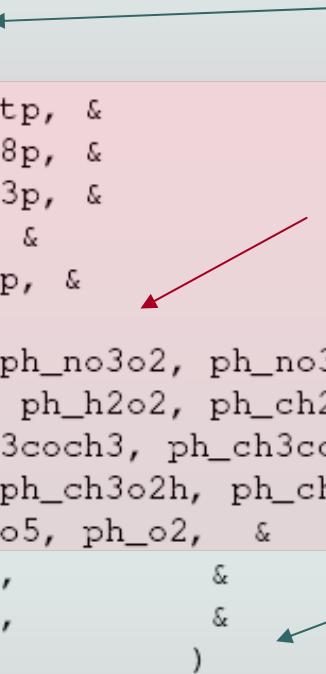
fixed &
&
&
&

automatically generated &
&

customization

```
SUBROUTINE kpp_mechanism_driver(    &
!
#include <fixed_args_kpp_interf.inc>           ← fixed
!
        addt, addx, addc, etep, oltp, &
        olip, csdp, limp, hc5p, hc8p, &
        tolsp, xydp, apip, isop, hc3p, &
        ethp, o3p, tco3, mo2, old, &
        olnn, olnd, rpho, xo2, ketp, &
        xno2, ol2p, oln, macp, &
        ph_o3ld, ph_o33p, ph_no2, ph_no3o2, ph_no3o, &
        ph_hno2, ph_hno3, ph_hno4, ph_h2o2, ph_ch2or, &
        ph_ch2om, ph_ch3cho, ph_ch3coch3, ph_ch3coc2h5, ph_hcocho, &
        ph_ch3cocho, ph_hcochest, ph_ch3o2h, ph_ch3coo2h, ph_ch3ono2, &
        ph_hcochob, ph_macr, ph_n2o5, ph_o2, &
        ids, ide, jds, jde, kds, kde,           &
        ims, ime, jms, jme, kms, kme,           &
        its, ite, jts, jte, kts, kte            )
```

automatically generated



customization

- if possible, use .inc files in inc directory:

```
> ls chem/KPP
```

```
clean_kpp
compile_wkc
configure_kpp
documentation
inc
kpp
mechanisms
module_wkppc_constants.F
util
```



customization

```
> cd inc  
> ls *fixed*
```

```
fixed_args_kpp_interf.inc  
fixed_decl_kpp_interf.inc
```

customization

```
> less fixed_args_kpp_interf.inc

chem, id, dtstepc, config_flags, &
p_phy, t_phy, rho_phy, moist,      &
vdrog3, ldrog,                      &
```

customization

```
> cd inc
```

```
> ls *racm_mim*
```

```
extra_args_to_update_rconst_racm_mim.inc
```

```
extra_args_update_rconst_racm_mim.inc
```

```
extra_decls_update_rconst_racm_mim.inc
```

```
kpp_mechd_a_racm_mim.inc
```

```
kpp_mechd_b_racm_mim.inc
```

```
kpp_mechd_e_racm_mim.inc
```

```
kpp_mechd_ia_racm_mim.inc
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kpp_mechd_ib_racm_mim.inc
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kpp_mechd_ibu_racm_mim.inc
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kpp_mechd_l_racm_mim.inc
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kpp_mechd_u_racm_mim.inc
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installation

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- distributed together with WRF-Chem
- few prerequisites for compiling **KPP**

KPP prerequisites

- needed for installation
 - flex
 - yacc

WKC documentation

- **currently:**

www.mpch-mainz.mpg.de/~salzmann/my_home/sub/wkc.html

... will also be in WRF-Chem Users' guide

- **questions/suggestions:**

wrfchemhelp.gsd@noaa.gov

or: salzmann@mpch-mainz.mpg.de

testing

- mainly performed at NOAA ESRL
(Georg Grell, Steven Peckham)
- also myself

known issues

- **major bug found in last release**
 - see WG11 website, known issues WRF-Chem
<http://ruc.fsl.noaa.gov/wrf/WG11/known-prob.htm>
- **efficiency**
 - larger initial time increment for ros3
 - indirect addressing in KPP LU decomposition
 - ⇒ WRF-Chem/KPP almost twice as fast
 - ⇒ next release

future perspectives

- **improvements to WKC**
 - more options
 - easier to use
 - additional adjustments?
- **contributed mechanisms?**
- **your feedback is highly welcome**

future perspectives

- WRF-Chem/KPP coupler can be extended to handle aqueous chemistry
- KPP can also be used to solve linear first order ODEs describing mass transfer (e.g. Schwartz, 1986)

future perspectives

- more generalized
 - **emissions**
 - **photolysis rates**
 - **initial and boundary conditions**
 - **dry deposition rates**
 - **wet deposition**
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